

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF FINANCE.

*REPORT of the Finance Committee of the North-Carolina Railroad Company to the General Meeting held in Raleigh, July 10, 1856.*

By virtue of a bye-law of the North-Carolina Railroad Company, the undersigned, at the last General meeting of the Company, were appointed a Committee of Finance to audit and pass upon the accounts of their Treasurer for the fiscal year just closed. They met in discharge of their duties at the Railroad Office in Salisbury, on Monday the 23d day of June last, and continued their labors from day to day until their work was finished, and now beg leave to make the following Report, to wit:

There was in the hands of the Treasurer, on the 1st day of July, 1855, the sum of \$420,723 44; since that time, and to the close of the fiscal year, 30th June, 1856, he has received from various sources, as will more fully appear by reference to Statement A., accompanying this report, the sum of \$1,107,542 53; and has disbursed during that time the sum of \$958,079 83; leaving a balance in his hands on the 1st day of July, 1856, of \$149,462 70. Statement B., appended to this Report, exhibits the receipts and expenditures of the Road from the commencement of the work to date; Approximate Statement C., also appended, the cost of the Road, including equipments; Monthly Statement, marked D., the business of the Road from June 30th, 1855, to 1st July, 1856; Yearly Statement of Passengers and Freight at each Station, marked E. Estimate of individual stock sold by the Company, and yet due from Stockholders, will be found marked F.; Statement of the business of the Road from its commencement, say September, 1854, to date, is marked G.; an Approximate Estimate, and the cost of working the Road for one month, marked H.; Estimate of cost of Maps